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[Supporting H.CON.RES.124]

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SUPERVISORS TENG, AMMIANO, BIERMAN, BROWN, LENO, YAKI, KATZ **BOARD OF SUPERVISORS**

SUPPORTING H.CON.RES.124 SPONSORED BY CONGRESSMAN DAVID WU AND CONGRESSMAN TOM CAMPBELL EXPRESSING THE SENSE OF THE CONGRESS RELATING TO RECENT ALLEGATIONS OF ESPIONAGE AND ILLEGAL CAMPAIGN FINANCING THAT HAVE BROUGHT INTO QUESTION THE LOYALTY AND PROBITY OF AMERICANS OF ASIAN ANCESTRY AND URGING THE UNITED STATES ATTORNEY GENERAL, THE SECRETARY OF ENERGY, AND THE COMMISSIONER OF THE EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY COMMISSION, WITHIN THEIR RESPECTIVE JURISDICTIONS, TO VIGOROUSLY INVESTIGATE ALL ALLEGATIONS OF DISCRIMINATION IN PUBLIC OR PRIVATE WORKPLACES, AND RESPECTFULLY REQUESTS THE CLERK OF THE BOARD TO TRANSMIT A COPY OF THIS RESOLUTION TO CONGRESSWOMAN PELOSI, CONGRESSMAN LANTOS, SENATOR BOXER, SENATOR FEINSTEIN, GOVERNOR DAVIS, STATE SENATOR BURTON, STATE SENATOR SPEIER, ASSEMBLYWOMAN MIGDEN, ASSEMBLYMAN SHELLEY, THE ASSOCIATION OF BAY AREA GOVERNMENTS, AND THE CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO'S LOBBYISTS IN THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA AND SACRAMENTO.

WHEREAS, All Americans are entitled to the equal protection of law; and,

WHEREAS, Due to recent allegations of espionage and illegal campaign financing, the loyalty and probity of Americans of Asian ancestry has been questioned; and,

WHEREAS, Americans of Asian ancestry have made profound contributions to American life, including the arts, our economy, education, the sciences, technology, politics, and sports, among others; and,

WHEREAS, Americans of Asian ancestry have demonstrated their patriotism by honorably serving to defend the United States in times of armed conflict, from the Civil War to the present; and,

WHEREAS, Americans of Asian ancestry comprise more than 30 percent of the population of the City of San Francisco; and,

WHEREAS, The City and County of San Francisco recently recognized the contributions of Asian Americans by hosting the first official Asian Pacific Heritage Month at City Hall; and,

WHEREAS, H.CON.RES.124 was submitted to Congress by Congressman David Wu and Congressman Tom Campbell on May 27, 1999; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco supports H.CON.RES.124 sponsored by Congressman David Wu and Congressman David Campbell expressing the sense of the Congress relating to recent allegations of espionage and illegal campaign financing that have brought into question the loyalty and probity of Americans of Asian ancestry; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco urges the United States Attorney General, the United States Secretary of Energy, and the United States Commissioner of the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission, within their respective jurisdictions, to vigorously investigate all allegations of discrimination in public or private workplaces; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco respectfully requests the Clerk of the Board

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to transmit a copy of this resolution to Congresswoman Pelosi,
Congressman Lantos, Senator Boxer, Senator Feinstein, Governor Davis,
State Senator Burton, State Senator Speier, Assemblywoman Migden,
Assemblyman Shelley, the Association of Bay Area Governments, and the
City and County of San Francisco's lobbyists in the District of
Columbia and Sacramento.

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Resolution supporting H.CON.RES.124 sponsored by Congressman David Wu and Congressman Tom Campbell expressing the sense of the Congress relating to recent allegations of espionage and illegal campaign financing that have brought into question the loyalty and probity of Americans of Asian ancestry and urging that United States Attorney General, the Secretary of Energy, and the Commissioner of the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission, within their respective jurisdictions to vigorously investigate all allegations of discrimination in public or private workplaces, and respectfully requests the Clerk of the Board to transmit a copy of this resolution to Congressman Pelosi, Congressman Lantos, Senator Boxer, Senator Feinstein, Governor Davis, State Senator Burton, State Senator Speier, Assemblywoman Migden, Assemblyman Shelley, the Association of Bay Area Governments, and the City and County of San Francisco Lobbyists in the District of Columbia and Sacramento.

June 7, 1999 Board of Supervisors — ADOPTED

Ayes: 10 - Ammiano, Becerril, Bierman, Brown, Katz, Kaufman, Leno, Newsom,

Yaki, Yee

Absent: 1 - Teng

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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on June 7, 1999 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Jean Lum

Acting Clerk of the Board

Mayor Willie L. Brown Jr.

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Date Approved